Church Meetings coming up:

Church Prayer Meeting—Fridays 10.15-11am in the Sinclair Room

Next Whānau Fun is 4.30pm on Sunday 25th May

The Review Team meets on Wednesday 28th May at 2pm in the Sinclair Room

All officebearers meet with the review team on **Wednesday 28**th **May** beginning with a potluck meal at **6pm**

1st Mosgiel Boys' Brigade meets on **Tuesday** nights at **6.30pm** in the McKerrow Lounge during school terms. Contact Warwick Tomlinson 022 0600 020

The church bank account for donations and other payments is BNZ Mosgiel 02-0938-0020934-00

Please note your name and the purpose for the payment in the appropriate fields

Prayer Chain: Contact: Annette Littlejohn 027 615 4013

marble.cat@xtra.co.nz

or a message can be left with Wendy Andrews 489 5684



ASSEMBLY POINTS if Church buildings are evacuated in an emergency are:

Mosgiel—Back of the carpark by the wooden fence North Taieri—At the furthest away roadside gate

OFFICE HOURS: 9 am to 4 pm Tues - Fri 489 6890

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Jesus is Lord!
Continuing Jesus' Mission
Changed Lives - Lived out

We welcome you warmly to our services today, praying that all who gather here will be blessed by God as we worship Him together.

Sunday 18th May 2025

Welcome to Worship at North Taieri @ 9.30am

PREACHER: Lisa Wells

SERVICE LEADER: Ruth-Ann Anderson

MUSICIAN: Philip Craigie

BIBLE READINGS: John 13:31-35, Acts 11:1-8 & Revelation 21:1-6

Welcome to Worship at Mosgiel @ 10am

PREACHER: Rev Alister Rae

SERVICE LEADER: Avis Williamson

MUSICIAN: Kirsten Flett BIBLE READER: Josephine Keith

BIBLE READINGS: Acts 11:1-16 & Revelation 21:1-6 (NRSV)

Welcome to Worship at Mosgiel @ 2pm

PREACHER: Beverley Wallis

MUSICIAN: Winifred Harrex

HOSTS: Ann & Kevin Burke

Taieri Amnesty group will meet at Peter and Lynne's home,

1 Aitken Place, at **7pm** on **Monday 19th May**





THIS Wednesday 21st May in the McKerrow Lounge

Time: 1.30pm - 3.30pm

Parishioners, friends and neighbours are welcome.

Mary Bennett will be sharing about 'Prayer & Repentance'

based on the book of Jonah.

Mary Bennett 027 297 6127

SUNDAY 1ST JUNE, THERE WILL BE A **COMBINED MORNING SERVICE** AT NORTH TAIERI @ 10AM WITH

(NO Mosgiel 10am or 2pm services)



SINGLES LUNCH, Sunday 1st June 12pm

At the Mosgiel RSA Spitfire Restaurant

(Booking sheet in the glasshouse)

Financial update

Below is an update showing offerings received for the financial year to date at 30 April 2025 compared with both budget and the prior year at the same point in time

Offerings:	Actual	Budget	% of budget	last year	% of last year
Mosgiel	118,038	124,080	-4.87%	122,828	-3.90%
North Taieri	23,510	24,250	-3.05%	21,481	9.45%
Total Offerings	141,548	148,330	-4.57%	144,309	-1.91%

The Board of Managers encourages you to prayerfully consider the level of financial support you can offer at this time, and thanks you for the contribution you are making – it is appreciated!

The Theology Programme at the University of Otago warmly invites you to the Thomas Burns Memorial Lectures for 2025, to be held from May 19-29. These will be given by **Professor Brad Gregory** and are entitled: "Christians, Consumption, and Climate Change: Christianity between the Last Ice Age and the Anthropocene."

Locations (online and onsite):Time: 5.15 to 6.30pm

Archway 4 at the University of Otago

Livestreamed at https://tinyurl.com/otagoburns

Monday 19 May: "Reinterpreting the Past in an Unprecedented Present: History and the Anthropocene"

Tuesday 20 May: "Fortunes for the Few, Misfortunes for the Many: Constructing the Ancient Inhumanities"

Wednesday 21 May: "Enduring the Way of the World: Covenant, Community, and Justice in Ancient Israel"

Tuesday 27 May: "Subverting the Way of the World: The Oblique Radicalism of Jesus of Nazareth"

Wednesday 28 May: "Accommodating the Way of the World: Making Room for Mammon, Making Peace with Rome"

Thursday 29 May: "Extending the Way of the World: Western Christianity from Constantine to the Anthropocene"

Congregational survey

I Thank you to all who took time to fill in the survey over the past couple of weeks. This will provide the Review Team and Session with valuable information about the current position of the Mosgiel/North Taieri parish.

If you would like to talk directly with the review team, to tell us more about the questions we asked or to raise any other matters that you feel we need to hear, we will be available on the afternoon of Wednesday 28th May in the Sinclair Room.

You can **book a time** to meet with us by ringing or emailing the church office ph. 489 6890 or admin@mosgielchurch.org.nz

Anne Thomson, Brendon McRae, Michelle Dean

Operation Cover-Up

Please leave any knitting for this project at the **church office by June 6**th. Eileen Brunton will be delivering the blankets, beanies, etc to the Fairfield Hall on 14th June.

